

CHAPTER 305.

AN ACT to recognize the services of the Fifth Maryland Regiment and to authorize and empower it to suitably inscribe such services upon its colors.

WHEREAS, The Fifth Maryland Regiment of Infantry served with distinction during the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812; and

WHEREAS, Said regiment has had continuous existence from the Revolutionary War to the present time, with the exception of the period from 1861 to 1867. The numerical designation of the regiment having been changed by executive order from Fifth to Fifty-third Regiment, and as such Fifty-third Regiment it was disbanded in 1861 when many of the members thereof participated in the Civil War in both the Union and Confederate armies, and thereafter, to wit, in 1867; said members, together with others, organized the present regiment now known as Fifth Regiment Infantry, Maryland National Guard, which said organization has continued from May 10th, 1867, to the present time; and

WHEREAS, Said Fifth Regiment Infantry participated in the Spanish War as the Fifth Maryland United States Volunteer Infantry; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the service of said Fifth Regiment be and it is hereby recognized as continuous from the commencement of the Revolutionary War.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said Fifth Regiment be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to place upon the staff of its colors suitable bands inscribed with the name of the wars in which it has participated and the dates of such service and also the name and date of such battles, skirmishes and expeditions in which it has participated.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4th, 1914.

CHAPTER 306.

AN ACT to prohibit the licensing and taxing by Municipalities of the business of selling from a wagon at retail of fresh fruits, vegetables and country produce by the growers and producers